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Department of Health Creates New Webpage for Spill Reports

BISMARCK, N.D. – The North Dakota Department of Health, Environmental Health Section, has created a new spill report webpage located at www.ndhealth.gov/ehs/spills. Beginning Dec. 4, 2013, the public can access spill information provided to the department. A link will also be available on the department's home page located at www.ndhealth.gov.

The department responds to various types of spills, provides technical assistance for cleanup, and helps protect public and environmental health. While information about these spills has historically been available to the public upon request, the new webpage provides easy access to information such as:

- Types of spills.
- Amounts released.
- Dates of incidents.
- Locations.
- Incident summaries, which include information about potential environmental impacts and actions taken or remediation plans.

Users of the webpage will be able to view general environmental incidents and/or oilfield incidents. This information is further separated into incidents that have occurred within the last 12 months and those that are older. Data will be updated weekly.

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